

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q65648

Mikihiro KAJITA

Appln. No.: 09/938,585

Group Art Unit: 2633

Confirmation No.: 2717

Examiner: David C. PAYNE

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For: METHOD FOR DETECTING ABNORMALITY OF OPTICAL MODULE AND APPARATUS FOR THE SAME

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

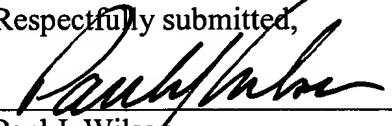
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two months, extending the time for responding to the Final Office Action of January 26, 2005 to June 27, 2005 (June 26, 2005 was a Sunday).

A check for the statutory fee of \$330.00 (\$450.00 less the \$120.00 fee paid on April 28, 2005) is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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